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cut flower displays, especially in tall vases. Of carefully selected strains, Lago Anemones grow sturdily and last well when cut. For the method of planting, see page 12.

BRIDE WHITE

A lovely flower of dazzling white; stamens and center slightly tinged with green.

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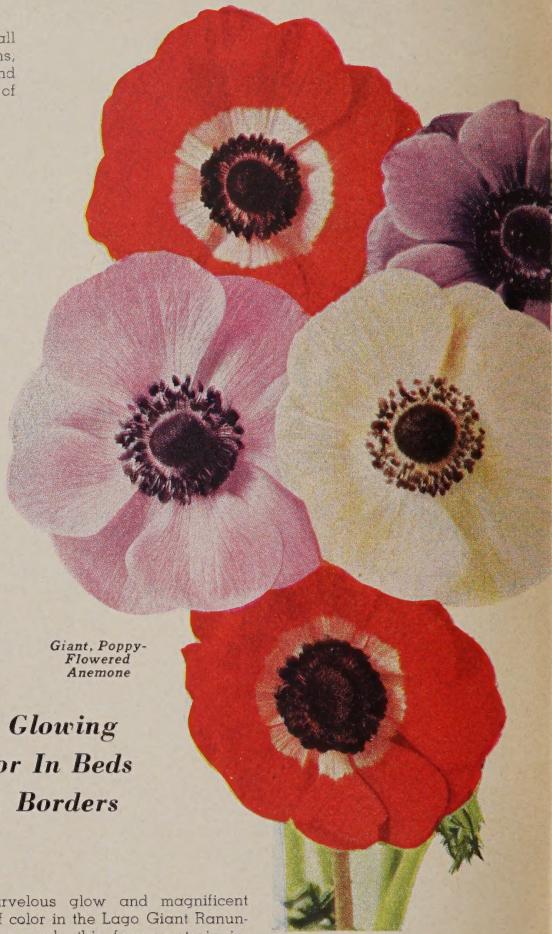
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MILITARY BLUE

A poppy-like flower of the most beautiful deep blue, black centered, with unusually large petals.

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A striking variety with petals of vivid vermillion in a silvery-white base and center of deep black.



Giant, Poppy-Flowered Anemone

Improved ST. BRIGID

This outstanding Anemone has mostly double flowers with petals finely divided. Colors range from deepest crimson to purest white.

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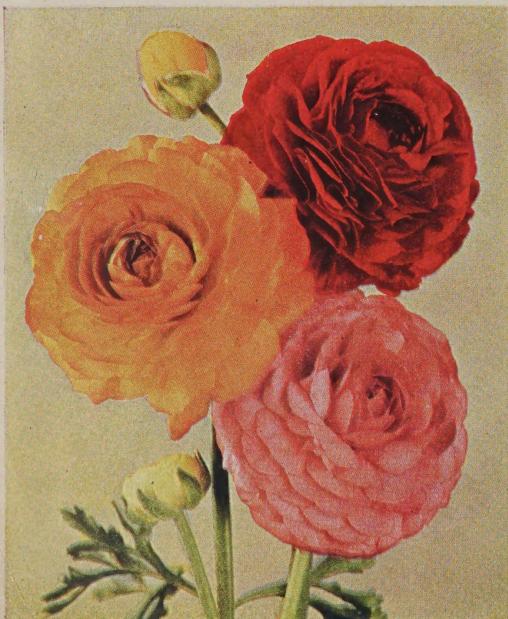
A taller-growing strain than St. Brigid, with immense saucer-shaped flowers in many fine shades of blue, white, and scarlet.

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Ranunculus

*For Glowing
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Giant Ranunculus Mixed

The marvelous glow and magnificent range of color in the Lago Giant Ranunculus has made this famous strain increasingly popular. All flowers are of the giant Double Camellia type, with some huge Brilliant Semi-Doubles. They are excellent massed in beds, especially in combination with Anemones. A brilliant contrast can be produced by planting them in front of a shrub border, also fine for cut flowers. For culture, see page 12.

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A new giant strain, peony-flowered, with glorious blooms of dazzling golden yellow. Unusually lovely planted with Red and White varieties.

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A mixture of warm, flame-like reds . . . scarlet, crimson, rose, orange, and related shades that develop brilliant color harmonies growing together.

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Delicate soft shades, ranging from pale pink to rose, full of large blooms, excellent for cutting. Show beautifully against dark green backgrounds.

Lago Giant RANUNCULUS MIXTURE

A highly colorful mixture of double and semi-double strains, producing giant flowers in a range of brilliantly contrasting colors.

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3 Matchless Daffodils For your Spring Garden



King Alfred

CALIFORNIA GLORY TRIO
COLLECTION OF
1 Fortune
2 Mrs. Backhouse
9 King Alfred

12 Wonderful **\$5**
Bulbs

Mrs. R. O. Backhouse



Every daffodil gardener thrills to the discovery of varieties unknown to him, and to new ideas for combining old favorites. The following pages offer plenty of both. However, the three regal varieties listed below, each so perfect of its kind and so unfailingly popular with daffodil initiates and beginners alike, deserve special consideration. For daffodil culture, see page 12.

KING ALFRED

This best known and most popular of the Large Trumpet Daffodils bears a lustrous flower of rich golden yellow. The bulb is extremely vigorous, the stems tall and strong, and the flowers of great substance and lasting quality.

3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.25, 100 for \$8.50

FORTUNE

An international prize-winner, Fortune is becoming a favorite among the Giant Incomparabilis. Its perianth of clear deep yellow and very solid texture, frames a crown of great size and elegant form, beautifully frilled and of deep red-orange. A strong, vigorous, and early grower.

Each \$2.00, 3 for \$5.50, 12 for \$20.00

MRS. R. O. BACKHOUSE

This is the famous "pink daffodil" a (Leedsii Narcissus), with a most graceful perianth of ivory white, framing a long slim trumpet of apricot pink that shades to shell pink at the deeply frilled edge. Delicately beautiful, but of exceptional substance, early growing and long lasting, Mrs. R. O. Backhouse belongs in every collection.

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Fortune

Select from These Thrilling Heralds of Spring . . .



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Daffodils for Naturalizing

We have a splendid collection of the Giant Trumpet, Medium Trumpet, and Short Cup varieties best adapted to rapid and permanent naturalizing. Make scattered plantings in the grass under trees and shrubs, beside woodland walks, etc. If planted liberally and allowed to naturalize, the flowers will appear each spring in glorious golden clumps or masses. For details of culture, see page 12.

THE COLLECTION—12 for 75c; 100 for \$5.00.



Helios

Dick Wellband



LARGE TRUMPET VARIETIES

Daffodils of this class are recognized by their large trumpets or crowns, which are as long as, and often longer than the perianth, or petals spreading out at the base of the trumpet.

AEROLITE

A golden daffodil of large size and beautiful proportion, the petals of the perianth flat-opening and star shaped, of deep primrose, framing a flamboyant trumpet of medium yellow.

3 for 50c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$10.00

BEERSHEBA

A magnificent white daffodil with flat perianth backing a long white trumpet beautifully flanged at the mouth.

Each \$1.75, 3 for \$5.00

EMPEROR

A handsome yellow daffodil of primrose perianth, the trumpet a shade of old gold. We recommend for forcing and bedding.

3 for 25c, 12 for 85c

OLYMPIA

An enlarged Emperor (see above), free-flowering and hardy. Period of flowering is just between King Alfred and Tresserve.

3 for 35c, 12 for \$1.10, 100 for \$7.50

SILVER STAR

An extra-fine Leedsl with star-shaped perianth, petals of pure cream-white, and wide-mouthed trumpet of primrose. Very free-flowering.

3 for 50c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$10.00

SPRING GLORY

A lovely two-colored daffodil, the perianth of gleaming white and the trumpet of pure yellow. Of excellent stem, always free blooming, a favorite both for garden and forcing.

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TUNIS

A tall, robust-growing Leedsl with broad-waved white perianth and large, bold ivory crown edged with pale, coppery gold, of remarkably delicate colorings.

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Spring Glory

dils *REASONABLY PRICED!*

MEDIUM AND SMALL CUP VARIETIES

In this group are placed those daffodils whose crown or trumpet is less than the length of the petals. This proportion, as well as color details, vary greatly from group to group. The technical class name (*Incomparabilis*, *Leedsii*, *Barrii*) is included in the description of each. Also included are three varieties of *Poeticus Narcissus*.

ACTAEA

The largest *Poeticus Narcissus*. Has shapely, snow-white petals of great substance, and large eye with broad dark-red margin.

Each 30c, 12 for \$3.00

CASSANDRA

A flower of fine form and good substance, with broad white petals and a small eye deeply rimmed dark red. A fine border variety. One of the largest of the *Poeticus*.

3 for 25c, 12 for 85c, 100 for \$6.00

CROESUS

Has light canary-yellow petals of perfect form, broad fluted cup of rich orange. Substantial and free-flowering. *Incomparabilis*.

3 for 30c, 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.00

DIANA KASNER

A prize-winning *Barrii* with cream-yellow petals and a large, fluted, yellow cup with blood-red frill. Free flowering and an excellent forcer. We recommend highly.

3 for 30c, 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.00

DICK WELLBAND

A famous *Incomparabilis* with petals of purest white and a cup of flame orange, which actually intensifies with age. The color contrast is of striking beauty.

Each 75c, 3 for \$2.00

FIRETAIL

The finest of the red-eyed *Barrii*, with broad-petaled, ivory-white perianth and large orange cup with scarlet-orange frill.

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HELIOS

A richly colored, finely formed *Incomparabilis*, with petals of soft yellow, crown of deep yellow which turns with age to a soft orange. A flower of striking refinement and charm.

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JOHN EVELYN

One of the greatest of the new *Incomparabilis* hybrids. Petals of flawless creamy white, cup of brilliant lemon-yellow fluted to the base, densely frilled. Strong-growing, free-flowering.

3 for 50c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$10.00

LUCINIUS

A golden yellow *Incomparabilis* of unusually good form and excellent substance, stem tall and stiff.

3 for 35c, 12 for \$1.10, 100 for \$7.50

MRS BARCLAY

An extremely showy *Barrii* with broad petals of pale primrose, and deeply frilled, flat cup of bright yellow with dainty orange margin.

3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.25, 100 for \$8.50

RECURVUS

An old favorite among *Poeticus Narcissi*, with petals of clear white and reflexing eye, margined deep orange-red. Very fragrant.

3 for 25c, 12 for 85c, 100 for \$6.00

DOUBLE DAFFODILS

MARY COPELAND

An unusually colorful Double. The longer petals are cream-white, center-striped with a golden ray, interspersed with shorter petals of lemon and brilliant orange.

Each 35c, 3 for \$1.00, 12 for \$3.75

THE PEARL

A very charming Double of creamy white petals interspersed with pale sulphur yellow, deepening at the center.

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TWINK

A charming semi-full Double of quixotic shape and coloring, the petals alternating a soft primrose and clear orange.

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Tubis



Actaea

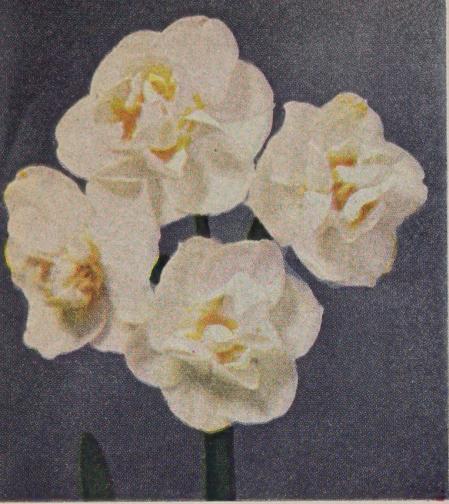
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The varieties in this collection have been selected to give you big and little flowers in a long succession of blooms. You get exceptional values and no end of satisfaction.

Olympia	Spring Glory	Helios
Croesus	Cassandra	The Pearl

18 Bulbs, 3 each variety	\$1.45
36 Bulbs, 6 each variety	2.75
72 Bulbs, 12 each variety	5.00

All properly labeled and shipped postpaid.



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Laurens Koster



Jonquilla Simplex

Cluster-Flowered



Daffodils

Varieties of the "Cluster-Flowered" group are very showy and deliciously scented with flowers, large and several to a stem.

CHEERFULNESS

This is the double Elvira, a very decorative variety of Poetaz Narcissus. Each stem bears a cluster of small blooms with thick-petaled creamy-white perianth and full double center of white and yellow. A fine garden and show flower.

3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.25, 100 for \$8.50

LAURENS KOSTER

Delightfully fragrant blooms borne in clusters of 5 to 7 on a stem. Perianth petals are broad and creamy-white, with a graceful little cup of golden-orange. Excellent for forcing. Height 21 inches.

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Fragrant Jonquils

JONQUIL CAMPERNELLE RUGULOSUS.

A very charming variety bearing on tall, graceful stems, two to four flowers with broad perianth and straight wrinkled cup. Foliage rush-like. Very early and deeply fragrant. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.25, 100 for \$8.50.

JONQUILLA SIMPLEX. The old-fashioned, sweet-scented yellow Jonquil. Flowers in early May, producing charming heads of dainty blooms of rich, deep yellow. Height 13 inches. Much prized for cutting. 3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.25, 100 for \$8.50.

Polyanthus Narcissus

These varieties produce clusters of fragrant flowers and are otherwise suitable and extensively used for growing indoors, in pebbles and water, during the winter. Instructions for indoor growing will be found on page 12.

CHINESE SACRED LILY. Large clusters of white flowers with bright yellow cups. Each bulb produces many spikes of the fragrant blooms. Very easily grown in bowls or pebbles or fibre and water. 3 for 30c, 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.00

PAPER WHITE NARCISSUS. A popular bulb for forcing in water. A bunch-flowering, pure white narcissus, often having as many as thirty blooms from a single bulb. Splendid decorative foliage.

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SOLEIL D'OR. Often called "Yellow Paper-White" this variety is very free-flowering. Produces large clusters of rich yellow flowers, each with a deep orange-red cup. Tall-growing and vigorous.

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Minature Narcissus

These varieties are all dwarf plants containing Narcissus Triandrus blood. They have slender rush-like foliage and dainty trumpet flowers with reflexed petals. Excellent for shady and semi-shady locations.

MOONSHINE

A star-shaped, creamy-white flower, often three to a stem, gracefully nodding, very beautiful and a great favorite, especially for the rock garden or for naturalizing in the shade.

3 for 50c, 12 for \$1.50, 100 for \$10.00

QUEEN OF SPAIN

Flowers vary slightly in size and form, some trumpet-like, but all of a delicate canary yellow. Very distinctive and graceful. We recommend for pots and bowls, naturalizing, rock gardens.

Each 20c, 3 for 55c, 12 for \$2.00

THALIA

Grows two or three lovely, pure white flowers to each stem, 2 inches or more across, making a beautiful cluster. Excellent for forcing.

Each 25c, 3 for 70c, 12 for \$2.50



Chinese Sacred Lilies

Grow These Brilliant



Tulips For Renewed Garden Splendor In Mid-Spring

Our Tulip list presents a choice selection of favorite varieties of Cottage and Darwin Tulips. With interbreeding, the differences between these strains have ceased to have much significance for the practical gardener. Except for mentioning the class name, we will therefor ignore classification, and present each of these lovely varieties in terms of its own particular appeal. Growing instructions will be found on page 12.

AFTERGLOW

A cup-shaped flower of suffused rose, petals incurved at the edges and shading through deep orange to apricot orange. A tall Darwin of unusual vividness.

3 for 30c, 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.00

APHRODITE

Silvery rose-pink, white base. A beautifully shaped tulip of great strength with the flowers lasting a long time.

3 for 30c, 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.00

BARTIGON

A large Darwin with substantial petals of intense, fiery crimson with margin of bright scarlet and white base. A very strong grower.

3 for 30c, 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.00

Victory (Illustrated at right)

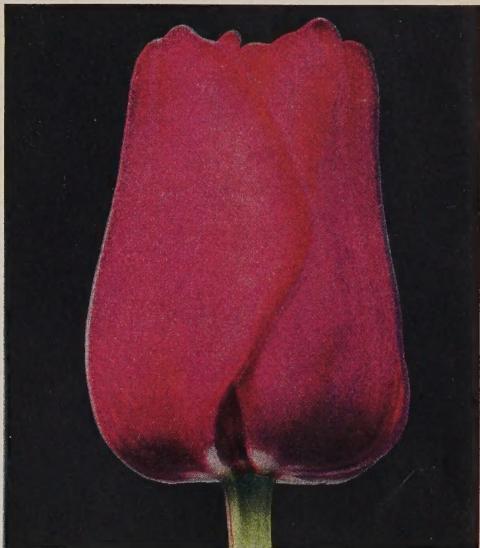
With its long, finely shaped petals of gorgeous carmine red, shading toward a black smoky red at the base, this splendid tulip of majestic beauty and strong upstanding form may proudly stand as a symbol of Victory in any American garden.

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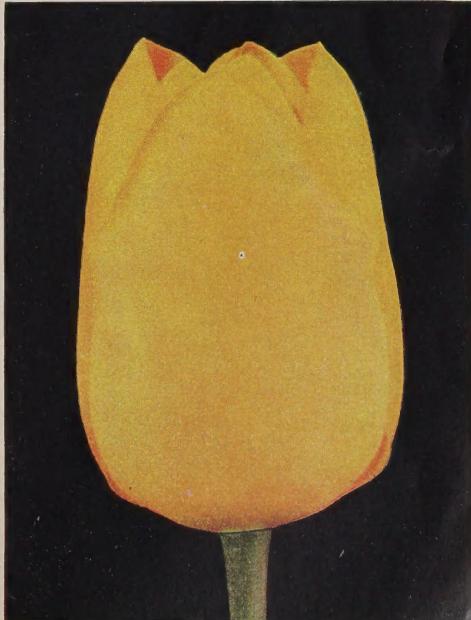
BLEU AIMABLE

A handsome flower of striking blue-violet with white base. Shades to steel-blue with age. A Darwin of great elegance and distinction.

3 for 30c, 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.00



Border of Pride of Haarlem and Golden Fleece



Inglescombe Yellow



Tulips

(Continued from preceding page)

FARNCOMBE SANDERS

A handsome, broad-petaled flower of geranium-scarlet tinged rose. Splendid against greenery and excellent for borders. A Darwin.

3 for 30c, 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.00

GOLDEN FLEECE

A bright-colored Darwin of medium size, with brilliant yellow petals tipped golden brown and deep black anthers.

3 for 30c, 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.00

GRENADIER

A stately Cottage Garden Tulip on a long graceful stem, with large shapely flowers, the petals beautifully formed and of dazzling orange-scarlet, the yellow center marked olive-green. Delicately scented. Affords magnificent contrasts.

3 for 40c, 12 for \$1.25, 100 for \$8.50

INGLESCOMBE YELLOW

Long, cup-shaped flowers, closely fitting with beautifully curved petals of glossy, canary-yellow tinged orange. Also called "The Yellow Darwin". Unusually lovely.

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MRS. MOON

One of the purest and finest of the late Cottage Garden Tulips. Of rich golden yellow color, with vase-shaped flowers, the petals pointed and reflexing. Distinctly perfumed, highly recommended.

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PRIDE OF HAARLEM

A distinguished Darwin of the greatest popularity. Colored deep rosy carmine, flowers large and bowl-shaped, on tall strong stem; a distinctive sweet scent. Unique among red Darwins.

3 for 30c, 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7

PRINCESS ELIZABETH

An enchanting flower of lustrous waxy rose-pink, shading to light pink at the edges. Petals perfectly formed in bud-like curves. One of the loveliest of the pink Darwins. A favorite for borders, and matchless against green backgrounds.

3 for 30c, 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.00

WHITE QUEEN

No Tulip garden is complete without a generous number of white blossoms. This lustrous china-white cottage variety is truly a queenly flower. Exceptionally fine in flower arrangements.

3 for 30c, 12 for \$1.00, 100 for \$7.00

WILLIAM COPELAND

A beautiful Darwin of a lovely soft lavender with white center. Charmingly decorative. Well adapted to forcing.

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WILLIAM PITT

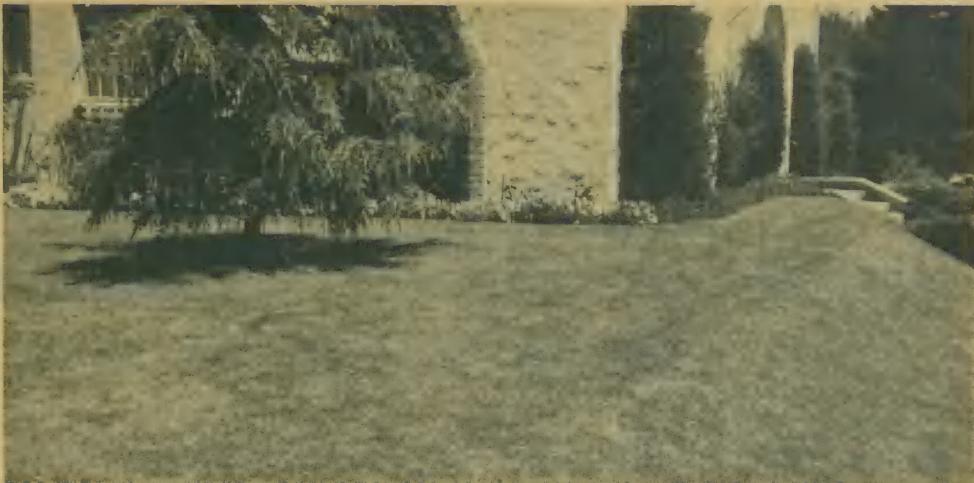
The earliest forcing of red Darwins, this flower is colored dusky crimson, shading to purple on the outer petals, white base starred blue. Large flower of distinctive heavy color and somber beauty.

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For Our Unusual Offering of
California Glory Tulips
in Special Tulip Garden
Collection . . See page 20
See Back Cover for
SPECIAL TULIP MIXTURE



Princess Elizabeth



For Lawns That Start Green and **STAY** Green **LAGO Green-Carpet LAWN SEED**

A beautiful thick green lawn contributes immeasurably to the comfort and satisfaction of a family, as well as to the value of property. Such a lawn starts with grass seed of quality, seed specially and scientifically selected for high germination, luxuriant growth, and suitability to soil and purpose. Lago "Green Carpet" Lawn Seed has been tested for all these qualities, and we offer the varieties to you with well-founded assurance that they will more than meet your highest standards.

Quantity to Sow for Lawns

On new ground, without grass, we recommend sowing 1 lb. per 200 square feet; 5 lbs. per 1000 square feet; 150 lbs. per acre. In renovating established lawns, use half the above quantities.

Lago's Evergreen Lawn Mix

The mixture consists of several deep green grasses whose peak periods occur in consecutive months. Thus from early spring until late autumn one strain or another is at its peak, assuring you rich green carpet continuously. The grasses develop a beautiful dark green turf able to withstand very hard usage. This mixture is recommended to all who desire a beautiful, luxuriant lawn.

1 lb. 60c, 5 lbs. \$2.75, 10 lbs. \$5.25

How to Grow ■ Lawn

With each order for Lago "Green Carpet" Lawn Seed we will send, on request, a copy of our folder on "How to Grow a Lawn". Full instructions are given for mowing each type of lawn offered by us and if carefully followed, should result in a well-established, thriving green lawn.

Lago Kentucky Blue Grass

This grass forms a strong mat and an excellent lawn of dark green color. With care and water, will develop into one of the best.

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Lago Shady Lawn Mixture

This grass is especially adapted for growing in strongly shaded areas where ordinary grass will not grow. Shady Lawn Mixture can transform barren spots into fine lawn.

1 lb. 70c, 5 lbs. \$3.25, 10 lbs. \$6.00

Bearmor for Better Lawns

Bearmor contains every element known to be essential for proper plant growth. Applied to lawns several times a year, as directed, Bearmor will help maintain and foster a strong, healthy, long-lived growth. Especially valuable for new lawns.

2 lb. pkg. 25c 10 lbs. 70c 25 lbs. \$1.40
50 lbs. \$2.25 100 lbs. \$3.50

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Lago White Dutch Clover

This is a dwarf growing clover, a hardy perennial especially adapted for lawns, and may be used either alone or in mixture with other grasses.

1 lb. \$1.00, 5 lbs. \$4.75, 10 lbs. \$9.25

Lago Seaside Creeping Bent

Seaside is a true Creeping Bent, extending itself by putting forth stolens, and when once established, spreads rapidly and makes a strong, enduring turf. Sow 1 lb. to 400 square feet.

1 lb. \$1.50, 5 lbs. \$7.00, 10 lbs. \$12.50

Lago Astoria Bent

A comparatively new and distinct kind of grass which produces an unusually fine turf. Seaside, putting forth stolens, Astoria Bent spreads from underground root stalks. Because of its root habit, Highland Astoria establishes itself with great tenacity and has unusual range of adaptability.

1 lb. \$1.50, 5 lbs. \$7.00, 10 lbs. \$12.50

For Recreation Grounds

Lago Chewing Fescue

Is used extensively on golf courses, putting greens and fairways and all types of athletic fields. Chewing Fescue grows strongly despite poor conditions, forms a close turf that chokes out weeds, and is permanent in all types of soils, even the highest and driest. Thrives even in shady areas.

1 lb. 90c, 5 lbs. \$4.25, 10 lbs. \$8.00

For Embankments

Lago Bermuda Grass

A tough grass that thrives in the hottest and driest weather. A deep-rooting variety that is well adapted for holding embankments, terraces and similar slopes. Often used for putting greens.

1 lb. 60c, 5 lbs. \$2.50, 10 lbs. \$4.75

Nutrio the Natural Plant Food

Nutrio is a scientifically prepared humus combined with basic plant foods and minerals essential for normal plant development. Use one bag of Nutrio to every 200 square feet (10x20) in your flower beds and new lawn beds. Your soil will become mellow, and your plants will show an amazing response.

Use Nutrio to build up and supply humus to your soil, as well as feed your plants. Nutrio does not burn and is very easy to apply. Complete directions with each bag.

Medium size bag, 50c.

Large garden size bag, \$1.00; 5 bags, \$4.05.
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Culture of Bulbs

AMARYLLIS—Give a sunny exposure and plant the bulbs in rich soil. To insure flowers the bulbs should be planted with the neck just above the soil level. Amaryllis are best grown in pots where the roots may become pot bound, making them bloom better. Plant one bulb to a 6-inch pot, using a light, rich soil. Set in a cool shady place to root well, later remove to a sunny place to grow and flower. Potted bulbs may be used in the garden by sinking the pots in the soil, or they may grace the living room windows.

ANEMONES—The top of the bulb is flat and covered with fine fibrous threads, the bottom is a prong which should go downward when planting. Since they are very dry they may be moistened either by soaking one to two hours in water before planting or soak the bed very well the day before and withhold water until growth shows above the soil. They do best in a sunny position in a well-drained soil. Set 1 to 2 inches deep and from 6 to 8 inches apart. In the north they are hardy with a mulch of strawy manure. It is best to wait until spring in these areas, for later planting will give better and later bloom. Give a tablespoon full of fertilizer every two or three weeks in spring.

CALLA—Calla bulbs are dormant roots with eyes very much like Dahlias. They require a rich soil with plenty of moisture during the growing season. Plant them in shade or partial shade covering the roots about 2 inches. The yellow callas should be lifted and stored in late summer. The large white callas should be lifted and divided when they become crowded.

CROCUS—Set in closely planted groups in beds, borders or in the lawn. They are easy to grow in pots for indoors. Full sun is best and set the bulbs 3 to 4 inches deep. New bulbs form on top of the old and therefore gradually force their way out of the soil. Replant every three or four years to the proper depth. If planted in the lawn delay mowing until the foliage has matured and turned brownish.

DUTCH IRIS—Plant 4 to 6 inches deep in any sunny or partially shaded place. Set out as early as possible. Water well after the foliage appears. If left undisturbed they will form beautiful clumps. Dutch Iris are showy in beds by themselves but require lifting when dormant to make room for other flowers. In this case dust with sulphur and store until planting time in fall.

FREESIAS—For full sun or partial shade. Plant in a light, well drained, preferably sandy soil, thoroughly spaded and pulverized. The bulbs should be set point upwards and covered with 2 to 3 inches of soil. Space them 3 to 6 inches apart. They are excellent for growing in pots.

IXIA—Full sun or partial shade. The bulbs are small, so plant 1 inch deep and space close together (2 to 4 inches). Lift, dry and store after they have gone dormant. Fine for growing in pots like Freesias.

LEUCOCORYNE—Should be grown the same as Freesias, full sun and a well-drained soil. Plant 2 inches deep and about 6 inches apart. Dig and store when dormant.

LEUCOJUM—Hardy bulbs for early spring bloom. Plant in full sun or shade, setting the bulbs 2 to 3 inches deep and from 4 to 6 inches apart. They prefer a light well-drained soil where they should be left undisturbed.

MUSCARI—For full sun or very light shade. Plant 2 to 3 inches deep and about as far apart. Not particular to soil, they will do better with water during the growing season and a reasonable top-dressing of fertilizer annually.

NARCISSUS OR DAFFODILS—Bulbs should be planted 6 to 9 inches deep in a well prepared soil (see sketch above). Space them from 6 to 10 inches apart. They may be left undisturbed until crowded, usually every three or four years. Dust with sulphur and replant only the larger sizes. After planting water thoroughly and mulch the beds with peat or leafmold and do not water again until growth appears above the ground. All Narcissi are grateful for a little shade and the double varieties require more moisture than the others. Plant in October or November to allow good root growth to develop before leaves and flowers.

ORNITHOGALUM—Plant in a sunny position in good loamy soil; one with good drainage. Set bulbs 3 inches deep, 4 to 6 inches apart.

RANUNCULUS—Give the same treatment as Anemones, except that in cold climates they are not hardy and must be planted in spring. Either soak the bulbs in water for 2 or 3 hours or soak the beds the day before planting, and withhold water until growth starts. Set the bulbs 1 to 2 inches deep and space from 6 to 12 inches apart according to their size. A sunny situation is necessary, as is also a light easily drained soil. Set the bulbs with the prongs downward. In wet climates the beds should be elevated to insure more perfect drainage and freedom from standing water.

SCILLA—For any well drained, moderately rich garden soil. Set 3 to 4 inches deep and from 4 to 6 inches apart. This is one of the few bulbs doing well in either full shade or moderate sun.

SPARAXIS—Bulbs for sunny places in well drained soil thoroughly prepared before planting. Culture as for Freesia. Set them 2 to 3 inches deep and from 3 to 6 inches apart. It is best to lift them after they have gone dormant and store until planting time in September.

TRITONIA—Culture same as Freesia or Sparaxis. Plant 2 inches deep and 3 to 4 inches apart.

TULIP—Plant in sunny beds of carefully prepared soil. Shade from noonday heat will keep the color better in the flowers. Set bulbs 6 inches deep (9 in. in warm climates) spacing 4 to 8 inches apart. Lift, dry, dust with sulphur after they have gone dormant and store until planting time in October.

WATSONIA—Plant in full sun or light partial shade. Set the bulbs 6 inches deep and about a foot apart. Leave undisturbed for 3 or 4 years, when they should be lifted and divided. Cut the leaves off in late summer after they have turned brown.

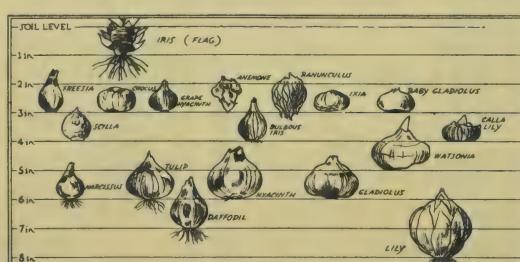


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Those who love the Iris will find in the varieties listed below many valuable additions to their collection. The colors of Dutch Iris are clear and brilliant, and the petals are both delicate and substantial. The cut flowers are long lasting and lustrous. Dutch Iris usually bloom immediately after the passing of the May-flowering tulips. For planting instructions, see page 12.

A. BLOEMAARD

Standards a dark purplish-blue, falls of lighter blue. A very large flower. Early.

IMPERATOR

A superb Iris with standards of brilliant blue, falls lighter with orange-yellow splotch on lip. Large flowers of good substance, strong growing, highly recommended.

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Medium blue Iris of very pleasing shade. Falls are large and markedly waved. Early.

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Fragrant, orchid-like flowers of deep purplish blue, on graceful, slender stems. Are hardy outdoors, also excellent for forcing.

THERÈSE SCHWARTZE

Standards pale cornflower blue, falls of pure white with narrow orange stripe. Beautiful cut flowers.

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Large flowers of bright Wedgewood blue, with strong heavy stems. Wedgewood flowers two weeks earlier than the other varieties.

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Rich golden yellow flowers on tall, slender stems. Contrasts exquisitely with blue and white varieties. See illustration.

WHITE EXCELSIOR

Extra large flowers of pure snowy white, falls marked with narrow feather of brilliant yellow. Perfectly formed. Very early.

**ANY OF
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A well-balanced assortment of colors made up from the varieties listed above that will give you many flowers for a small investment.

15 bulbs . 50c
35 bulbs \$1.00
100 bulbs \$2.85
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Dutch Iris:
Yellow Queen
White Excelsior
Imperator



Crocus

Crocus

No garden is complete without the Crocus, traditionally the earliest flower of spring. Plant them in colorful groups on the grass, along borders, or in rock gardens. Place the top of the bulbs 3 to 4 inches below the surface. Our varieties are large-flowered, six inches in height and highly recommended.

Purple
Yellow
Striped

**12 for 50c
100 for \$3.50**

African Corn Lily

IXIAS. Delightful little star-shaped flowers, brightly colored with contrasting dark splotch at center. Low growing, hardy perennial, excellent for borders. Plant bulbs in full sun or partial shade, well-enriched, well-drained soil, 1 inch deep, 4 to 6 inches apart. In special mixture of brilliant hues, or in separate colors of Orange, Red, Cerise, Yellow, and Purple.

12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.00

Wandflower

SPARAXIS. Starry flowers similar to Ixias, but much larger, gorgeously colored in orange, scarlet, yellow, cream, crimson, lavender and pink; fantastically marked with splotches, streaks and splashes of contrasting colors. Should be planted in full sun, 3 to 4 inches apart. New large hybrids, in Lago California Glory Mixture.

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FREESIAS for Dainty Fragrance

These are the new colored, fragrant, large-flowered varieties distinctive for the delicate modeling of the full-colored, trumpet-like flowers. Early growing; once established, will last for years. Excellent for garden or cutting. For culture, see page 12.

FISCHER'S PURITY. The best white, with flowers of heavy, waxy texture, on long sturdy stems.

GENERAL PERSHING. A fine, large-flowered strain of delicate lavender-pink.

GOLDEN DAFFODIL. A rich, clear, daffodil yellow, with showy orange marking on lower petal.

MARY LOUISE FISCHER. Unusually well-formed flowers of a rich dark blue shade.

MENDOTA. Bright golden yellow, late in blooming, free-flowering.

MRS. MARC PETERS. Large, salmon-colored blooms shading deep rose, with a bright mark of yellow orange.

OLIVETTE. Flowers of bright carmine-red, with light yellow throat.

SUNSET. Blooms of lustrous flame-orange with the shimmering quality of a western sunset.

Lago Special FREESIA MIXTURE

An outstanding mixture of all shades, making a lovely blend of Freesia's finest colors, including white.

12 for 35c
100 for \$2.50

Calla Lilies

These striking flowers with their deep solid colors and rich texture are ever popular. Plant in moist, well-fertilized soil, in sun or partial shade. Fine in gardens, very impressive as cut flower.

WHITE CALLA (*Aethiopica*). The well-known favorite, of large ivory-white flowers and crisply folded petals.

Each 15c, 12 for \$1.50

YELLOW CALLA (*Elliottiana*). Flowers of deep rich golden yellow, fully as large as the white. Dark green foliage with translucent creamy-white spots.

Each 25c, 12 for \$2.50

PINK CALLA (*Rehmannii*). Flower of soft rose-pink, deepening to rose-purple at edge. Small-flowered, height 12 in. A very unusual, intriguing novelty.

Each 75c, 3 for \$2.00, 12 for \$7.50

Flame Freesia

TRITONIA CROCATA. Star-shaped flower similar to Freesia, with petals reflexed and flaring. Attractive and showy in bright solid colors. Plant in sun or partial shade, 2 inches deep, 3 to 4 inches apart. Very effective massed in front of shrubbery. In the new large hybrid strains, 'Prince of Orange', a pure glowing orange red; or Lago Special Flame Freesia Mixture of Blue, Pink, Red and Orange.

12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.50

Grape Hyacinth

MUSCARI. Produces charming clusters of dainty bright blue, bell-like flowers on 6-inch stems. Have an exquisite, lasting fragrance. A perfect little flower for edging flower beds, or for borders or rock gardens. Once planted, they remain for years, thickening annually.

Heavenly Blue. The sturdiest and most heavily flowered variety.

12 for 40c, 100 for \$3.50

Wood Hyacinth

SCILLA CAMPANULATA. Flowers are like small nodding bells gracefully clustered about short slender spikes and set off by thick foliage. Especially valuable for naturalizing, for low borders and rock garden planting. Set bulbs 3 to 4 inches deep, 6 inches apart, in any moderately fertilized soil. Varieties are:

White Queen, with white bells.

Blue Queen, with porcelain blue bells.

Rose Queen, with rosy pink bells.

12 for 50c, 100 for \$3.50

Watsonia

A lovely, soft, gladiolus-like flower on tall graceful spikes, 6 feet in height. Plant them in clumps for very decorative garden effects. For culture, see page 12. In the following varieties:

Early Pink. Large flowers of soft pink, very early blooming.

J. J. Dean. Flowers of deep rose with broad petals.

Edward Sturtevant. Soft orange-scarlet.

Lillian Benner. Clear lavender orchid.

Mrs. Bullard's White. A large pure white, broad-petaled, very early blooming.

3 for 25c, 12 for 80c

Glory of the Sun

LEUCOCORYNE IXIOIDES ODORATA. A lovely late-blooming rarity recently introduced from Chile. Heads of large, fragrant, light-blue flowers with white centers and golden stamens, gracefully borne on sturdy stems 12 to 20 inches tall. Plant 2 inches deep in well-drained location. Very decorative and long-lasting as a cut flower.

Each 15c, 12 for \$1.50

Snowflake

LEUCOCJUM VERNUM.

One of the earliest and most refreshing of spring flowers. Snowflake produces a profusion of tiny white bells, tipped green and nodding on slender, deep green spikes. Grow them for a touch of white at the border or plant in low edgings where they will bloom annually for many years. Multiplies if undisturbed. Set 2 to 3 inches deep, 4 or 5 inches apart in light, well-drained soil.

12 for 60c, 100 for \$4.00



Yellow Calla Lily

Delight in the Fragrance
of These Giant-Flowering

Sweet Peas

Lago's Early-Flowering Spencers

The Sweet Peas listed below are the first varieties to flower, and should be planted early, in August and September in California. For other regions see page 14. The plants start climbing immediately after germination. The vines are shorter and more delicate than varieties in the late-flowering class, but the blooms are abundant and of the choicest beauty. In the varieties listed, abundant scope is given those who love to combine the shades in harmonious blends and contrasts.

ANY OF THE PACKETS BELOW 10c

1/4 lb. 65c, 1/2 lb. \$1.15.

VARIETIES STARRED (*) HAVE EXCEPTIONAL MERIT.

- *AMETHYST. Royal purple.
- *APOLLO. Soft salmon cerise.
- *BRIDESMAID. Silvery pink.
- *CASCADE. Lustrous white.
- COLUMBIA. Salmon rose, white wings.
- DAPHNE. Soft salmon pink.
- EXPOSITION PINK. Deep rich pink.
- *FLORIST BLUE. Best clear blue.
- *FLORIST ROSE. Pure rose pink.

- *HARMONY. Pure clear lavender.
- *HOPE. Creamy white.
- MARINER. Clear marine blue.
- MARS. Oxblood crimson.
- ORIENTAL. Deep cream.
- SEQUOIA. Golden cerise.
- *SHIRLEY TEMPLE. Soft rose pink.
- SKIRPY. Light salmon pink.
- *VALENCIA. Bright orange (sunproof).

★ Early-Flowering Rainbow Mixture

A richly assorted mixture, taken from the shades described above.

Packet, 10c . . . Ounce, 35c

Lago's Summer-Flowering Spencers

Varieties in this class have large open wavy blossoms, well placed on the stem, and facing one way. Very long stemmed and late blooming. Plant in November or December for best results in California. For other regions, see page 14.

ANY OF THE
PACKETS BELOW 10c

Varieties starred (*) have exceptional merit.

- AMBITION. Soft lavender.
- AMERICA. Red flaked on white ground.
- AVALANCHE. Glistening white.
- BRILLIANT ROSE. Tyrian rose.
- CAMPFIRE. Bright scarlet.
- CAPRI. Light sea blue.
- CHIEFTAIN. Satiny mauve.
- *CHINESE BLUE. Rich deep blue.
- CHLOE. Deep shell pink on cream ground.
- CISSIE. Pale cream pink.
- CREAM GIGANTIC. Pale cream, very large.
- DAMASK ROSE. Deep rose.
- GEORGE SHAWYER. Orange pink.
- *GIGANTIC. Largest of the whites.
- GENEAGLE. Deep lavender.
- *JACK HOBBS. Flush scarlet pink on cream ground.
- JUBILEE. Orange scarlet.
- JUMBO. Deep cerise.
- *KING LAVENDER. Clear lavender, very robust.
- MRS. A. SEARLES. Rich pink merging into Orient red.
- PATRICIA UNWIN. Salmon pink on a cream ground.
- PEGGY ANN. Salmon rose.
- *PINKIE. Outstanding large rose pink.
- *PIRATE GOLD. Golden orange.
- POWERSCOURT. Silvery lavender.
- RED SUPREME. Deep crimson.
- *ROSIE. Deep rose-pink.
- ROYAL PURPLE. Deep blue-purple.
- *RUBICUND. Outstanding crimson scarlet.

★ Summer Flowering Rainbow Mixture

Gathered from the best colors, and blended to give an unrivaled display of fresh vivid blooms.

Packet 10c Ounce 25c
1/4 lb. 65c 1/2 lb. \$1.15

DWARF SWEET PEAS

A small-flowered, dwarf Sweet Pea with Verbena-like habit of growth. Extremely decorative for borders, or in small beds.

MIXED COLORS: . . . Packet 10c, 3 for 25c.

Lago "California Glory" Special Sweet Pea Collections

No. 1 Giant Spencer Spring Flowering

Includes one packet each of the following: Harmony, Oriental, Shirley Temple, Sequoia, Valencia, Hope, Mars, Amethyst, Florist Blue, Mariner.

10 PACKETS. Reg. value of \$1.00. 75c

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Alyssum, Violet Queen. Geum, Mrs. Bradshaw.
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Lago Giant Pansy



Sweet Alyssum

Showy free-flowering, spring-blooming plants, dwarfed, compact, and unsurpassed for the front row of a border or rock garden.

VIOLET QUEEN (Compactum). Very dwarf, sweet-scented, and of a deep, rich shade of violet. Excellent with Little Gem. Pkt. 15c, $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 50c.

LITTLE GEM (Compactum). Small white flowers in profusion. Grows close to the ground. Pkt. 10c, $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 25c.

CARPET OF SNOW (Procumbens). Dense flat masses of snow-white flowers. Pkt. 10c, $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 30c.

BASKET OF GOLD (Saxatile Compactum). In early spring quickly flowers into a mass of yellow gold. Fine companion for spring bulb flowers Pkt. 10c, $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 40c.

Snapdragon

(ANTIRRHINUM)

The Lago strain of Snapdragon is naturally rust-resistant and is bred for high germination, vigorous growth, clean foliage, and flowers of large size and full color, longer lasting.

MAXIMUM STRAIN RUST-RESISTANT

ALASKA. Clear white.

CANARY BIRD. Bright yellow.

NIGHT FLAME. Velvety crimson.

COPPER KING. Coppery scarlet.

SWINGTIME. Medium light pink.

GIANT MIXTURE.

Any of the above: Pkt. 10c, 1/16 oz. 65c.

SUPER-MAJESTIC STRAIN RUST-RESISTANT

A giant-flowered strain with extra-colorful florets. Semi-tall.

ROSE SENSATION. Royal crimson with touch of salmon.

ORANGE QUEEN. Light orange tinged with pink.

Either of the above:

Pkt. 15c, $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 75c.

Aquilegia (COLUMBINE)

The delicate grace of our new, long-spurred Columbines, with the beauty of the new shades, has gained great favor for this variety. Our Columbine is easily grown from seed, prefers light shade, and thrives in any reasonably rich soil. Adds grace to any garden.

LONG-SPURRED BLUE. Exquisite shades from light to dark blue.

LONG-SPURRED ROSE. Lovely shades of red from pink to deep rose. White centered.

CRIMSON STAR. Spurs of deep blood-red with center of white.

LONGISSIMA. Delicate pale yellow with spurs 4 inches long.

SPECIAL AQUILEGIA MIXTURE. Contains all the foregoing varieties in careful assortment.

Any of the above:

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Pot Marigold

(CALENDULA)

These gorgeous double blooms are much desired as cut flowers. Lago select Calendula will bloom more profusely with cutting, and will last through heavy frosts. Plant profusely in July for glowing color in your late fall garden.

THE YELLOW COLOSSAL. The world's largest Calendula with very deep flower heads. Flowers are bright clear yellow, long-stemmed, excellent keepers. Pkt. 15c, $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 45c.

BALL'S LONG ORANGE. Has long sturdy stems and huge double flowers of a brilliant glistening orange. Pkt. 15c, $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 30c.

BALL'S MASTERPIECE. Deep glowing orange, with large, golden-brown eye. Pkt. 15c, $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. 30c.

Canterbury Bell

These "Cup and Saucer" Canterbury Bells (Campanula Medium Calycanthemum) are delightfully graceful subjects for borders and beds, very easy to grow, and adapt themselves well to average soils. Biennial, they should be planted annually for continuous bloom. In Dark Blue, Light Blue, Rose, and White. Pkt. 15c, 4 for 50c; 1/16 oz. 35c.

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Carnation

This is Chabaud's Improved Giant Double Carnation strain. The flowers are large, fully double and very freely borne; the plants of stocky upright growth, excellent for cutting. Blooms are large and of clear, rich color. In choice mixture. Pkt. 15c, $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 75c.

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BELLIS. These are favorite perennials of strain Monstrosa, an improved giant double. Select shades of Giant White, Pink, or Red, or well-balanced Giant Mixture. Pkt. 15c.

Digitalis

FOXGLOVE. These Giant Shirley Hybrids produce flower heads over 3 feet long, crowded with large flaring bell-shaped blossoms. Colors range from white through shell pink to deepest rose, many with showy marks of crimson and chocolate. Pkt. 15c, $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 25c.

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For grace of form and purity of color, our Pacific Giant Hybrid Perennial is absolutely unsurpassed for cut flowers, show, and garden purposes. The florets cluster with exquisite grace on thin woody stems which develop very strong branching habit. In clear, glistening White shades, and also choice shades of Blue, ranging from soft light blue to deep violet with white bee.

White or Mixed Blue Shades. Pkt. 25c.

Spring Flowers

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Beautiful hardy perennials bearing large, showy double flowers all through the summer. Fine for bouquets.

LADY STRATHEDEN. Rich golden yellow blossoms. Pkt. 15c, $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 70c.

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Hollyhock's great spikes of colorful blossoms are especially pleasing as background flowers in your garden. Our **Begonia-Flowered Imperial** produces flowers with unusually broad collar of frilled and fringed petals and double center rosette. In attractive color mixture. Pkt. 15c, $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 45c.

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Our double giant Imperial (base-branching) annual Larkspur is ideal for cut flowers because the flower stems branch from the base of the plant to a height of 3 or 4 feet.

BLUE BELL. A lovely light blue of a shade between sky and lilac.

GLORIA IMPROVED. A luscious rose-pink.

SWEET LAVENDER. Clear delicate lavender.

WHITE KING. Finest snow-white.

GIANT IMPERIAL in Special Mixture. Any of above. Pkt. 15c, $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 35c.

Forget-Me-Not

(*MYOSOTIS*)

INDIGO BLUE COMPACTA. A compact, dwarf form of this lovely spring flower especially valuable for edgings. Height 6 inches. Early flowering. Deep brilliant blue. Pkt. 10c, $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 45c.

Pentstemon

A very showy perennial, beautiful in the garden, fine as a cut flower. Tall graceful sprays of fresh bright flowers over a long season.

SENSATION IMPROVED. All colors of the large-flowered Pentstemons in well-assorted mixture. Pkt. 15c, $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 45c.

Primrose

POLYANTHA TYPE (Bedding Primrose). Giant, cluster-flowered blossoms, in showy colors excellent for planting along shady paths or in the rock garden.

Munstead Strain Deep golden-yellow flowers, shaded apricot in center.

Coerulea. Lovely soft blue shades.

Rubra. Brilliant ruby-red.

Unwin's Superb Mixed. A famous English strain combining colors in exquisite assortment.

MALACOIDES (Baby Primrose).

Rosea Superba. A rich, glowing, carmine pink. Flowers large on tall wiry stems of upright and graceful habit.

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PYRETHRUM. Robinson's Hybrid Pyrethrum, giant-flowered. Long stems make this variety particularly desirable for cut flowers. In gorgeous mixture. Pkt. 25c.

Pansies

LAGO SUPER GIANT FLOWERING MIXED. Our extensive trials each year of pansies the world over, convince us this special formula mixed strain is the best all-purpose strain available. Gigantic flowers, compact growth, and all colors in proportion. Pkt. 25c, $\frac{1}{16}$ oz. \$1.00, $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. \$1.75, $\frac{1}{4}$ oz. \$3.25.

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Scabiosa

Giant hybrids blooming on long slender stems. An outstanding annual for cut flowers.

SCABIOSA BLUE MOON. Large thick blossoms of brilliant sky-blue tinged with lavender, borne on long strong stems. Ideal for cutting. Pkt. 15c.

LAGO SPECIAL MIXTURE. Select harmonious colorful shades. Pkt. 10c, $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 50c.

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These are **Giants of California**, the world's best doubles, in charming colors, delightfully fragrant, free-flowering, and excellent for cutting. Tall sturdy flower spikes are covered with rosette blossoms of delicate but deep, pleasing color. Early flowering.

YOSEMITE. A bright rose-pink.

PACIFIC. Lustrous sky-blue.

SANTA MARIE. Deep clear white.

GIANTS OF CALIFORNIA MIXTURE. Shades above carefully combined for pleasing effect.

Any of the above: Pkt. 25c. Your choice of 3 packets. 65c.

Also **Giant Imperials**, growing to a height of 2 to 2½ feet, double-flowering, with branching habit.

CHAMOIS. Ivory, tinted old-rose.

ELKS PRIDE. An intense royal purple.

Lavender, Lilac, Rose, Imperial

GIANT IMPERIALS MIXED. Pkt. 15c, $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 65c.

Sweet William

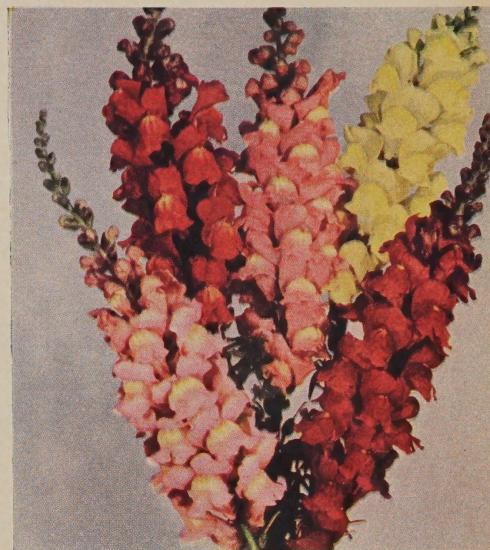
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Half-hardy perennials with deliciously fragrant blossoms. Double, early-flowering Wonder Mixed—Splendid shades of rich reds and yellows. Pkt. 15c, $\frac{1}{8}$ oz. 50c.



Snapdragon



Larkspur

Plant a Garden
of Fresh, Tender

VEGETABLES

VICTORY *Special GARDEN COLLECTION*

Plant this collection for a basic supply of protective vegetables for a family of four. Each of these vegetables can make an important contribution to health and energy, and should be grown and eaten. Varieties are of our selection; no change from this list permitted.

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BEETS

One ounce will sow a row 50 feet long.

DETROIT DARK RED. Pure-bred strain of excellent quality. Smooth, uniform, globular roots... fresh dark red and of fine quality, sweet and tender.

EARLY WONDER. One of the earliest and most perfectly shaped beets. Of beautiful deep-red color and globular-shaped roots. Desirable for home gardening.

Packet 10c, ounce 25c, 1/4 lb. 65c.

Enjoy Firm, Garden-Fresh

CABBAGE

One packet can produce 150 heads.

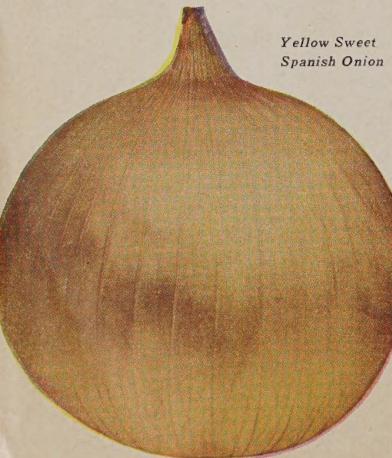
LAGO EARLY FLAT DUTCH. Produces solid, medium flat head, leaves of silvery green; a vigorous grower.

LAGO BALL HEAD (Portuguese). Large sturdy plant with deep stem, heads deep round and hard with interior very compact. Texture tender and crisp; flavor excellent; ideal for kraut.

SAVOY or CURLY CABBAGE. A medium variety with spreading leaves very finely crimped, deep green. Heads solid, globular, and of good quality.

Packet 10c, 1 ounce 50c, 1/4 lb. \$1.50

Yellow Sweet Spanish Onion



King of Vitamin Vegetables

CARROT

One packet can produce from 300 to 500 carrots.

CHANTENAY, RED CORE. A half-long variety maturing medium early, very productive and easy to harvest. Root is smooth, deep orange-red, and uniformly stumped. Crisp, tender, finely flavored; suitable for table in early maturity.

Pkt. 10c, 1 oz. 25c, 1/4 lb. 85c.

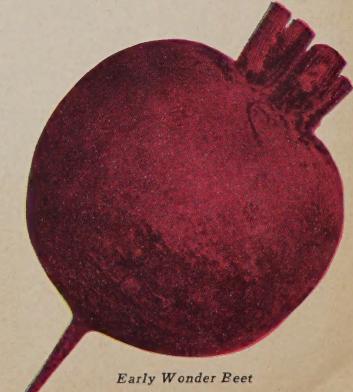
DANVERS HALF LONG. A first-class carrot for all soils, yields heavily, and produces a root of bright orange, uniformly crisp, sweet and tender.

Pkt. 10c, 1 oz. 25c, 1/4 lb. 75c.

IMPERATOR. The most popular of the carrots combining attractive appearance with fine taste qualities. Roots are 7 to 8 inches long, tapering to the tip. The fine-grained, deep orange flesh is of exceptionally mild and sweet flavor.

Pkt. 10c, 1 oz. 35c, 1/4 lb. \$1.00.

Early Wonder Beet



Scarlet
Globe Radish

ENDIVE

FULL HEART BATAVIAN (Escarole). An improved strain with heads well rounded and compact, leaves broad and fleshy, crisp and tender.

LARGE GREEN CURLED (Green Ribbed). A late variety with curly, deeply cut leaves of light green, center deeply blanched. Fine flavored.

Pkt. 10c, 1 ounce 20c, 1/4 lb. 45c.

KOHL-RABI

One packet can produce from 250 to 300 heads.

EARLY WHITE VIENNA. Most popular table variety with globular, light green heads, leaves clear white, crisp and tender.

Packet 10c.

Note:

The quantities mentioned are based on the experience of careful gardeners planting and cultivating in normally favorable conditions. Consequently the figures given amount to averages, and cannot be offered as guarantees.

For A Store of Protective Vitamins In Your Own Yard!

Eat Your Own Fresh, Crisp LETTUCE

One packet can produce from 500 to 600 heads. **LOS ANGELES** or **NEW YORK**. A large curled, heading lettuce, the outer leaves are dark green and slightly frilled at edges. Heads are tightly folded. Inner leaves are well blanched, and sweet, tender and delicious.

Pkt 10c, 1 ounce 20c, $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 50c.

A Kitchen Staple—Easy to Raise ONION

One packet can produce from 200 to 250 heads.

AUSTRALIAN BROWN. The best-keeping variety of onion, semi-globular, with tough, tight-fitting skin. Flesh is lemon-yellow and strongly flavored.

CALIFORNIA EARLY RED. This variety is early, producing large half-globe bulbs of deep red color, flesh coarse and mild.

CALIFORNIA EARLY YELLOW (Stockton Yellow). Yellow companion to California Red. Bulbs round with slight elongation, medium size, solid rich yellow, skins tough, clinging.

ITALIAN RED (Red Torpedo). An early variety for home gardens. Bulbs are long, pointed at top and bottom, large, bright red in color. The flesh is firm, sweet, and very mild.

YELLOW SWEET SPANISH. An increasingly popular variety, globular, with golden yellow skin, flesh white with a very mild, sweet and pleasing flavor.

Packet 10c.



Carrot Chantenay

Full-Flavored, Dependable PARSNIP

HOLLOW CROWN. Roots clear, white, clean, well-filled with small core of fine texture and free from stringiness. Flesh is tender, sugary, of excellent flavor.

Packet 10c, 1 ounce 25c, $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 65c.

The Most Delicious Garnish PARSLEY

One packet can grow 250 plants.

EMERALD (Dwarf Extra Curled). A hardy and productive strain of dwarf habit, of handsome dark green, beautifully curled. Very slow in going to seed. Can be cut the year around. Extensively used for garnishing.

PLAIN-LEAVED. Leaves are flat and deeply cut but not curled. Very fine for flavoring soups and stews, and for drying.

Packet 10c, 1 ounce 20c, $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 45c.

For Salads . . . Crisp and Solid RADISH

One packet can grow 200 radishes.

SCARLET GLOBE. A very early globe-shaped radish suitable for forcing or open ground. Of handsome shape, attractive bright red, crisp, solid and of the finest table quality.

ICICLE. Outstanding for home gardens, long and slender, tapering at the tips, flesh of pure white, very crisp and tender, and of mild inviting flavor.

Packet 10c, ounce 20c.

SALSIFY

One packet can grow 200 plants.

MAMMOTH SANDWICH ISLAND. An improved type with smooth white roots, large, uniform and satisfactory in every way. Packet 10c, 1 ounce 25c, $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 75c.

SPINACH

One packet can grow 200 plants.

HOLLANDIA GIANT PRICKLY WINTER. A California favorite, highly productive, with large broad leaves of deep green. Firm textured, tender and fine flavored.

Packet 10c, 1 ounce 20c, $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 35c.

TURNIP

PURPLE TOP WHITE GLOBE. As indicated by its name, this variety is white underground and purple above. True globe-shaped. Flesh white, and very tender. Most popular variety for general use. Pkt. 10c, oz. 15c, $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 35c, 1 lb. \$1.

MUSTARD

SOUTHERN GIANT CURLED. Plant vigorous and hardy, of upright, spreading growth; leaves 5 inches long by 3 inches wide, light green, tinged yellow, much crumpled and frilled at the edges.

Pkt. 10c, oz. 15c, $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 25c, 1 lb. 75c.



Giant
Stride Peas

Have an Abundance of Your Own Sweet Garden

PEAS

One packet can grow 250 plants.

GIANT STRIDE (Dwarf Type). Has large plump pods, 5 to $5\frac{1}{2}$ inches long, tightly packed with deep green peas, large-sized and of luscious flavor.

LAXTON PROGRESS (Dwarf Type). This variety puts out vigorous vines averaging 18 inches in height and carrying an enormous crop of pods packed with 8 to 10 large green peas. Of delicious sweet flavor.

ALDERMAN (Tall Type). A handsome, large-podded variety of the telephone family, excellent for the home garden. Plants are $4\frac{1}{2}$ to 5 feet tall, bearing large, plump, tapered pods each with 8 to 10 peas of highest quality and flavor.

Packet 10c, $\frac{1}{2}$ lb. 20c, 1 lb. 35c.

SWISS CHARD

One packet can grow 200 head.

LARGE WHITE RIBBED. Smooth green leaves with large light mid-rib, much superior to other beets as greens. Yields frequent cuttings. Often cooked like spinach. Has an unusually fresh, fine flavor.

GIANT LUCULLUS. A heavy-growing chard with fleshy crumpled leaves of rich green color. Excellent for table prepared like spinach or asparagus.

Packet 10c, 1 ounce 15c, $\frac{1}{4}$ lb. 45c.



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Tulip Garden

No spring flower is so colorful and satisfactory as the Giant Darwin Tulip. We have selected 6 outstanding varieties to give you a lovely color effect in your favorite flower bed.

FARNCOMBE SANDERS, geranium scarlet.

PRIDE OF HAARLEM, rosy carmine.

INGLESCOMBE YELLOW, glossy canary yellow.

PRINCESS ELIZABETH, clear deep pink.

CLARA BUTT, light pink, flushed rose.

WILLIAM COPELAND, soft lavender.

Collection "A", 2 each of above (12).....	\$.85
Collection "B", 4 each of above (24).....	1.60
Collection "C", 8 each of above (48).....	3.00
Collection "D", 16 each of above (96).....	5.75

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